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Condolences to Faith Bradshaw who just lost Ellie, her "White" wedding horse, to colic.

HEAD WHIP'S CORNER

Finally rain! This year is going so fast here we are in May. April saw the club at Woody's for a clinic with Amy Cleary. I took Casper who did well because Antonio put him through his paces as I am not sure I would survive a long distance fall just yet. Everyone had fun.

May 14th hopefully we will be at Paradox Farm to play some games and drive.

MY APOLOGIES FOR THIS NEWSLETTER BEING LATE.

We were on a cruise and did not return until Sunday. Since I could not attend the Amy Neary Clinic and no one has sent me a story I have nothing to report. Maybe there will be something in the next newsletter. I had to get this out so you would know what is in the works for our May event at Paradox, see page 2.

BOD MEETING

Mad Ceramics 4/8/2016

Meeting began 6:07 pm with Faith, Polly, Woody, Nancy, Jeff, Bev, Cindy & I present,

Treasurer's report:

\$1650.02 in checking

<u>-\$40.31</u> for Board meeting pizzas. Balance of \$1609.71

Thank you cards for flowers (Faith loss of her Mother & Cindy's accident) were passed around. A card was sent to Marilyn for a speedy recovery from her hip surgery.

We discussed upcoming events and picked dome dates as follows:

May 14th at Paradox, Nancy & Faith to host

June 4th Breakfast Drive at Paradox. Gates open at 6:30 am drive/ride and eat afterwards. Faith will talk to Tommy & Jim about being our chefs and I will post what people are bringing.

July 16th annual Picnic at Ellis Park. Frisbee golf and horseshoe games

August 19-20 OR 26-27? Still waiting to hear when the Mule club is going to Blowing Rock so we can join them either as a day ride or overnight. Blowing Rock Stable now has 400 stalls.

September 17th Picnic Basket Auction and Trivia Drive at Paradox Polly to run the Trivia Drive, Faith the auction.

October 29th Halloween at Paradox. Costumes optional!

November Fall Event is still open

December 3rd (first Sunday) Christmas Party/Dirty Santa at Paradox.

January 1st 2017 Second Annual Dessert Drive at Paradox

January General Meeting Date to be decided closer to the time.

Woody will be at some pulling contests with his 2 new horses and would love a cheering squad. July 2nd in Denton at the Farm Park Thresher's Reunion and again at Love Valley in Statesville September 3rd.Information to come as I receive it.

We will still do some spur of the minute drive/rides where I will let the membership know Faith & I want to drive or ride and anyone is welcome to join us. Faith talked about checking out some new places. Ann Springs Greenway and Anita-Alta Horse camp. Woody is going to look into driving at the Biltmore House.

Faith has been trying to get something set up with the TREK people but has not had much success. Since Nancy wants to be the west coat place for TREK's she is going to work on getting something set up even if it is just a sample of what TREK is about.

Woody talked about getting a group together for next years Queen Cup Steeple Chase. It's to late this year since it is April 30th.

Meeting adjourned at 7:19pm

May 14TH EVENT

Paradox Farm: Practice ADT with Hazards, Cones and a Game. Derby Day Hat Contest, 1st & 2nd place prizes, supplied by Cindy Dalton. Gates open at 9:00. Bring your own Lunch & Chairs.

SCHEDULE FOR 2016:

Regardless of the event riders, visitors and spectators are ALWAYS welcome. Please come check us out.

Event Fees: Members \$15.00 per Turnout or Rider, Non-members \$20.00 per Turnout or Rider, Spectators FREE.

May 14th Nancy & Faith to host an event at her farm. Due to Cindy's accident this event will now be at Paradox

Mule days at Leatherwood May 5-8th Penny Godbey & I will be vendors.

(CCC HDT May 1st weekend???)

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November Fall Event, (Need to pick date with Tommy) Tommy & Karen to host at TLC?

December 3rd, 2016 Christmas Party/Dirty Santa, (first Sunday) at Paradox

January 1st 2017, 2nd Annual Dessert Drive at Paradox

January ? 2017 General Meeting at Sagebrush

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Manufactured in 2005, this is a quality, stable, sturdy, heavy-duty WCC marathon carriage. Used with Haflinger pair and single. Also used with American Saddlebred single and pair.

Front and rear brakes. Can adjust to use rear brakes only. Adjustable driver's wedge seat can be moved forward and back, and can be placed to one side or in center.

Black with red trim on wheels. Stainless wheel spokes. Stainless steel trim. Reinforced shafts. Pole for pair (shown on carriage in accompanying photo). Original list price \$12,000. Sold \$8500. Asking \$4500.

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Whips & Wheels Driving Club Membership Application/Waiver

Membership will run from January 1st through December 31st.

Please print out form below & fill out then:

Make Checks payable to: Whips & Wheels Driving Club or WWDC Mail to: Tricia Hardy 547 John Crotts Road Mocksville, NC 27028

Family Membership full year \$25.00 (Family Membership 2 or more people up to 4. voting privileges 18 years or older)

Single Membership full year \$15.00 (1 person)

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1 st minor (under 18 years_				
2 nd minor (under 18 years)		[Date:	

Whips & Wheels Driving Club Equine Release, Waiver and Indemnification

The undersigned participant, and his or her parent or legal guardian if under the age of 18 years, does/do hereby execute this release waiver, and indemnification for himself/themselves and his or her/their heirs, successors, representatives and assigns and, thereby agree(s) and represents as follows:

To release Whips and Wheels Driving Club, it's members, agents and representatives affiliated with this activity from any liability, loss, damage, costs, claims and/or causes of action, including but not limited to all bodily injuries and property damage arising out of participation in the activity, it being specifically understood that said activity includes the handling of equine by the undersigned participant. The undersigned person(s) further agree(s) to indemnify Whips and Wheels Driving Club, it's members, agents and representatives affiliated with this project, and hold them harmless for any loss, damage, cost, claim judgment, or settlement which may be brought or entered against them as a result of the undersigned person's participation in said activity.

If involved in equine activities pursuant to NC Chapter 99E of NC General Statutes, the undersigned(s) executes(s) this waiver of the undersigned(s) right to sue and agree(s) to assume all risks resulting from the "intrinsic dangers of equine activities". "Intrinsic dangers of equine activities" is defined as those dangers or conditions that are an integral part of equine activities, including but not limited to: (i) the propensity of equines to behave in ways that may result in injury, harm, or death to persons on or around them; (ii) the unpredictability of an equine's reaction to such things as sounds, sudden movement, and unfamiliar objects, persons or other animals; (iii) certain hazards such as surface and subsurface conditions; (iv) collisions with other animals or objects; and (vi) the potential of a participant acting in a negligent manner that may contribute to injury to the participant or others, such as failing to maintain control over the equine or not acting within the participant's ability.

This waiver shall remain valid unless expressly revoked by the participant or Parent or guardian of a minor. The revocation shall be in writing, which shall be addressed to the provider and shall become effective thirty (30) days after delivery to the provider.

The undersigned(s) should maintain all medical and health insurance to cover all risks of any kind in any place in livestock, equine, and/or other activities.

I the undersigned participant will ensure equipment is in good condition at all times, wear and use all safety equipment. Minors (under the age of 18) MUST wear helmets and be accompanied by an experienced driver when in the carts/carriages.

WARNING: Under North Carolina law, an equine activity sponsor or equine professional is not liable for an injury to or the death of a participant in equine activities resulting exclusively from the inherent risks of equine activities. Chapter 99E of the North Carolina general statutes.

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